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CELEBRATE KILLEEN FESTIVAL APRIL 23-25

(KILLEEN, TEXAS): The annual Celebrate Killeen Festival is Thursday through Saturday. The public is invited to enjoy the free family fun.

The official kickoff party is Thursday night from 6 to 8 p.m. in historic Downtown Killeen at Green Avenue Market, 717 N. 2nd Street. Activities will include food trucks, craft vendors and kiddie train rides. Live music will be provided by The Voodoo & Moonshine Band.

The celebration continues Friday at the Killeen Community Center starting at 7 p.m. with a free comedy show featuring family-friendly comedian JR Brow and the inaugural Food Truck Competition.

A full day of fun is scheduled Saturday at the Killeen Community Center starting at 8 a.m. with the Fallen Heroes 5K run benefitting the Law Enforcement Assistance Fund.

Festival activities will be open Saturday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and include entertainment, food, a petting zoo, pony rides, Kidfish and much more. An outdoor movie showing of *Big Hero* 6 starts at 8 p.m. at the Amphitheater. New this year is a fireworks show to conclude the festival.

Many other events including a carnival and KISD Wellness Fair are planned as part of the Celebrate Killeen Festival. A full schedule is available at www.killeentexas.gov/celebratekilleen.